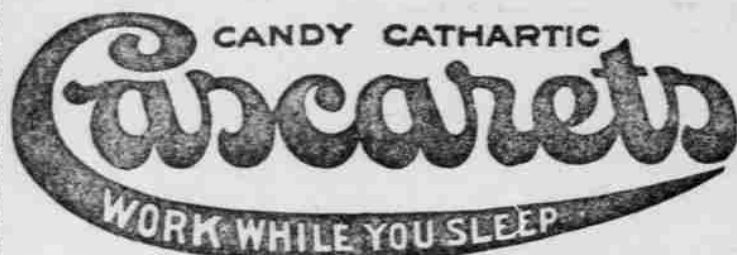


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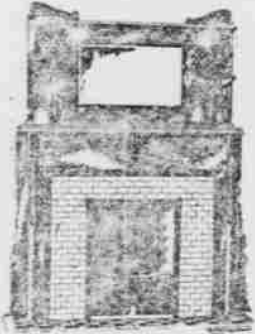
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FOR A ROBBERY

Daisy Steele on Trial in the District Court.

EVIDENCE IS ALL IN

Judge Dale Will Instruct Jury Monday.

The case of the state of Kansas against Daisy Steele has occupied the attention of the district court for the greater part of the past two days. A large crowd has been constantly in attendance. The evidence has all been introduced in the case, and Judge Dale will submit his instructions to the jury Monday morning.

It appears from the evidence that Ansel, the prosecuting witness, had visited the place kept by Daisy Steele on the 14th of last April and that after he had left the house he was held up by two negroes and some money taken away from him. Nobody seemed to know much about Ansel. He states that he has been a professional foot-racer for the last ten years and has not performed any labor since he was 23 years of age, except about three months. He claims that in his business he travels under an assumed name. He claims to have recently been connected with a foot race at Merford, O. T.

The defendant, Daisy Steele, is a woman only 22 years of age. It is not claimed by the state that she was present when the money was taken from Ansel, the prosecuting witness, or that she had anything personally to do with taking the money from him.

It appears that one of the negroes who Ansel claims took the money from him was a black girl and that the other one has admitted to the officers that he assisted in the commission of the offense. The state claims that Daisy Steele knew the offense would be committed, or was in some way connected with it. The defendant, Daisy Steele, took the witness stand in her own behalf and testified that Ansel came to her place and bought about \$15 worth of beer; that she did not know that Ansel had any money more than what he had spent for beer, and that she had no knowledge or connection with the commission of the offense charged.

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The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. ELEGIC Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerve, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at G. Gehring's drug store.

NEW OVERLAND TRAIN

Santa Fe Will Put On Another One July 1.

The announcement made by J. M. Barr, third vice president of the Santa Fe, that a second overland train between Chicago and San Francisco had been definitely decided upon by the Santa Fe management, sets at rest all speculation regarding the change in train service incident to the opening of the Santa Fe Joaquin Valley line into San Francisco.

July 1 was named by the Santa Fe vice president as the probable date of the establishment of the new train. It means that the summer schedule will not go into effect until then, and marks the time of opening the San Francisco line for passenger traffic.

The inauguration of the new train will cause a rearrangement of Santa Fe through trains. The limited trains will be discontinued July 1, if not before.

CASTORIA

Bears the Signature of Dr. H. P. Plummer

CLUB OFFICERS ELECTED

Twentieth Century Club Selects Corps for Next Year.

At the annual meeting of the Twentieth Century club the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. R. P. Minkoff.

First Vice President—Mrs. O. A. Keach.

Second Vice President—Mrs. R. H. Ray.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Lionel Trotter.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. A. S. Finkoff.

Treasurer—Mrs. E. B. Jewett.

Auditor—Mrs. Charles Smythe.

WORSHIP ON TRAINS

Western Roads May Inaugurate Sunday Services.

Singing of hymns, recitation of Scriptural passages and preaching of short sermons soon may break the monotony of bumper-pump of Sabbath day through passenger trains on the big western railroads. The plans for the inauguration of devotional services by the modern trains are now immature to warrant any definite assertion regarding the matter, but it is an expressed belief that the scheme will be adopted and that it will not be long before there will be churches on wheels.

WELLS FARGO TO MOVE

Will Have an Office in the Sheets Building.

On the first of the month the Wells-Fargo will move from its present office at 121 East Douglas to the Sheets building.

The State Clothing company is closing out and the room will be occupied by the Wells-Fargo and Gen. Spencer, owner of "Rapid Mail," the second fastest driving horse in the transcontinental stage.

The Wells-Fargo will take half the first office extending the entire length of the room. Gen. Spencer's real estate office will occupy the other half floor.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Mrs. B. C. Brady has returned from a visit to Richmond, Va.

Miss Anna White and Mrs. Martin Al. taken of Kingman, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Kathryn Schindler is one of the contestants in the Hutchinson musical jubilee.

J. C. Ellis, equity attorney of Pratt county, was in the city yesterday attending to legal business.

Mrs. Jessie Minnich and family leave in the morning for a month's visit to relatives in Oklahoma.

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The Tonites meet Tuesday evening over Gehring's drug store.

Mrs. W. L. Crockett of Las Vegas, N. M., is visiting her sister, Mr. A. E. Baker, at 121 North Emporia.

Mrs. John D. Hutchings, formerly of Wichita, is in the city marvelling over the improvements in Wichita.

J. Harry Sim, agent of the Wells-Fargo Express company at Oklahoma City, came up last night to spend Sunday here.

Mrs. C. E. Martin left yesterday morning over the Rock Island for Dallas, Tex., for a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Martin.

Mrs. George Farham, who is sick at St. Francis hospital, is convalescent.

C. T. Middle of Coldwater, Kan., was here yesterday.

Miss Florence Howard will sing at the evening service in the First Presbyterian church, today. "He Giveth His Beloved Sleep," by Abt.

Mrs. M. Hummel has changed her residence from 329 Riverside avenue to her new home she has lately purchased at 101 North Waco avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garvey of Chicago arrived in the city yesterday to visit Mrs. Garvey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Newcomb, 411 Waco avenue.

Dr. Purdie went to Cheney yesterday to examine J. W. Vanneman, who accidentally shot himself about two weeks ago and is now in a dangerous condition.

Mrs. Maud Brown-Newton, formerly of Detroit, Mich., will sing Dudley Buck's "My Redeemer and My Lord," at Congregational church, Sunday morning.

Israel Brothers are modernizing several properties over the city. One on South Topeka avenue that brought only \$5 per month rent, they are now offering \$15 for it.

Arthur Frazier writes his father that he is delighted with the scenery and climate at Salina, Col., where he went to take charge of the claim and pay roll department of the Denver and Rio Grande railway.

John W. Adams, who arrived yesterday from Fort Scott, where he had been attending the United States circuit court, reports the crop prospects between here and there the best he ever saw in the state.

A boy named Harry Laid who lives at the corner of Tenth street and Santa Fe avenue, accidentally shot himself through the finger yesterday morning. The ball passed exactly through the middle joint of the second finger.

Charley Bennett's horse broke away from the buggy last night, and, finding Mr. Bennett and Mr. Tallman out, and then dashed up and down Douglas avenue with a shaft to him until he ran into a back and was caught.

C. R. Fulton's horse, which was tied behind his store, became frightened last evening about 8 o'clock and endeavored to kick to pieces the buggy to which it was hitched. It was caught and quieted before any material damage was done.

The girls' missionary society of the First Baptist church gave a reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marsh, 214 North Lawrence avenue. Refreshments were served and music, recitation by Miss Lulu Richmond and Miss Lillian Lathrop.

Mr. C. B. Allen, who proposes to publish a new map of Wichita, was called to Iowa to look after engineering matters there for a time. He will return in a few weeks and give Wichita a chance to secure a first-class map, which will be better than any so far as enough orders are secured to warrant its publication.

A SPRING DISEASE
More Catarrh at This Season Than in Any Other.

The fact that catarrh is more prevalent in spring than any other time of year is easily accounted for by the sudden change, the warm sunny day succeeded by the snow or sleet of the next.

Repeated colds in the head resulting from our thick spring climate, very easily drift into nasal catarrh, which is at first simply an uncleaned nasal cavity, finally, if neglected, causes inflammation and thickening of the mucous membrane of the nasal cavity, which gradually extends into the throat and bronchial tubes and to the stomach, causing catarrh of the stomach.

Douches of salt water or douches of any kind very often aggravate the trouble by still further irritating the delicate membranes.

The safest remedy for colds in the head and for any form of catarrh is a simple and safe antiseptic, non-poisonous in tablet and taken internally several times a day.

One of the best antiseptic catarrh tablets for the purpose is one composed of Santalium, Eucalyptol and Quinine, and sold by druggists under the name of Scott's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets clean the catarrhal secretion from the membrane of the nose and throat and act also very effectively upon the blood, their regular use for a few weeks entirely eliminating the catarrhal poison from the system.

The best remedies for any trouble are the simplest, and Scott's Catarrh Tablets is a superior preparation for colds and catarrhal conditions because absolutely free from cocaine or opium and commonly found in cheap cough cures and catarrhal medicines.

The Treble Clef.

Mrs. David Smythe, president of the Wichita Musical club, has been attending grand chapter, O. E. S., at Hutchinson this week.

F. McNeil is entered for the tenor solo contest at Hutchinson next week.

The Apollo club will compete in the male chorus contest at the Hutchinson jubilee.

Miss Gertrude Colburn will act as accompanist for the Apollo club at Hutchinson. Miss Colburn is winning much well-deserved praise as an accompanist.

Mrs. L. Hays has inquiries every day regarding the Kelso method from all over the city and adjoining towns. Mr. Kelso is expected to arrive from Chicago in June to personally instruct a class.

The ladies of the Musical club assisted the Apollo club in a reception to Mr. and Mrs. Parrel after the concert Wednesday evening. It was a very enjoyable event and manifested the kind, feeling among the musicians of the city.

People from all parts of the city attended the cantata, "Bethlehem," at the Reformed church Monday evening and it was pronounced by all a success throughout. Mr. Henry Huttman deserves much praise for the excellent manner in which he had drilled the chorus. Miss Ruth Hickman, the organist, did very excellent work.

Miss Mabel Ayres has a piano class in Caldwell and makes a trip down there every week.

The people of Caldwell speak very highly of Fritz Huttman's singing at their commencement exercises.

Prof. Skinner's conservatory is giving some high class recitals and new students are continually enrolling for the summer term. Older students are busy getting ready for commencement exercises.

The residents of the Sedgwick block revel in music these days.

Mrs. Walden has her vocal studio and gives lessons almost every hour in the day.

Miss Larimer has a vocal studio. Mrs. Hays has her Kelso School of Music, and her two grand square pianos are busy most of the time.

The Apollo club has been meeting in Mrs. Hays' studio for rehearsals nearly every night for some time, and the Musical club meets in the Music hall, to say nothing of the twenty pianos throughout the building that are kept busy.

Thou, Lord, are the Father of music; Sweet sounds as a whisper from Thee: Thou hast made Thy creation all an anthem. Though is singeth them allently.

The interlude in the music is an echo, or a prophesy, or both combined. If it is an echo, it attempts to render in pure musical sound the dominant thought of the stanza that went before. If it is a prophesy, it seems what is coming and prepares the way for it, and brings the devotional congregation to the next stanza.

Rubini, the famous tenor and vocal instructor of the Italian princesses, while staying in London, was greatly annoyed by an organ-grinder, who persistently ground out his tune under the musician's window. Knowing that if he played long enough he would receive a shilling to go away. But one day the exasperated Rubini refused the usual bribe and told the man to be off. "But, Mr. Rubini," he begged, "give me some money for the love of charity; we're both in the same profession."

An old farmer went to the opera house to hear Albinia sing, and when asked how he liked her, replied: "She ain't very pretty, but she's got a good voice for callin' cows."

Gradually, in Italy, singing became an art. What we mean by singing when we speak of it as a source of pleasure to the higher kind, is really an Italian art, which has been diffused over the civilized world; and the Italian school of singing is still the great school—others, in so far as they differ from that school, being inferior. The first distinctive characteristic of the Italian school of singing is the delivery of the voice, the mode of uttering a single note. Italians generally (for singing in this way has become a national nature to the whole people) use their voices in quite a different way from the generality of other people. They naturally utter their notes with a purity and a freedom rarely heard from untrained persons of other races. This delivery of the voice is the foundation of their excellence as singers. Indeed, if they cannot sing in this way, they are not worth the name. Their tone is guttural, or it is nasal, or it is rough, or it is uncertain, or something else; it may be merely constrained, in any case, the fault is more or less destructive. There may be great singing without great power, without remarkable flexibility, without the ability to execute a melody or trill, but there can be no singing really great, without this free, pure delivery of the voice. A singer who can go through the whole range of this voice, from low to high, swelling out the tone and diminishing it with the vowel sound of head a (ah) preserving that sound pure, and uniting with it perfect intonation through crescendo and diminuendo, has conquered much more than half the battle of the art of vocalization. All the rest, all without exception, are more "finishes and outward embellishments."

The absolute necessity of colleges of music was early discovered by the great musical peoples of the world, the Germans and Italians; and among the former especially we find today the most flourishing and extensive institutions of musical character to be found in Europe. Mendelssohn, the founder of the Leipzig conservatory, in reference to the class system of teaching, says: "An institution such as the conservatory has this advantage over the private institution of the individual, that, by the participation of several in the same lesson at the same time, a true musical feeling is awakened and kept fresh among the people. It produces industry and spirit up to emulation; it is a preservative against the selfishness of education and, finally, a tendency against heavy travel, even in the student years should be upon his guard." No higher musical authority seems possible. When we add to it the result of that class system which every year brings before us in the accomplished graduates from those famous schools, it seems as if all carping criticism should be hushed.

In the spring of 1881 the great armies camped on either side of the Rapahannock river, one in Ohio and the other in gray. One evening, the president of the senate of the Union side felt the hands of his married maid, the "Star Spangled Banner" and "Tilly Round the Flag" and that challenge of music was taken up by those upon the other side, who responded with the "Home Sweet Home."

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